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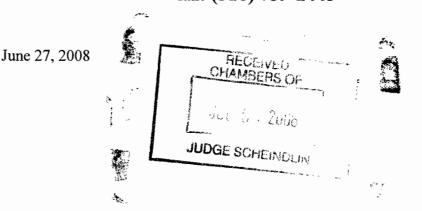
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Hon. Shira A.Scheindlin United States District Court Southern District of NY 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v Sillah 07-cr-1063

Your Honor,

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The above matter is scheduled for sentence before you on July 18, , 2008. I will be on vacation from July 15th through July 22nd and am therefore unavailable for the scheduled date. I will be available on any date thereafter that is agreeable to the court. I would therefore request an adjournment of the sentencing date

Your cooperation in this regard is greatly appreciated

Respectfully,

CHARLES S. HOCHBAUM

cc: Ausa Parvin Moyne

to July 29, 2008